This notice is to inform you that the Public Works Department will implement alternate side street sweeping citywide.

Referring to residential address numbers, the even side of the streets will be swept one day and the odd side will be swept the following day. The City is divided into two (2) areas for the purposes of this program, as shown on the enclosed map. As before, sweeping is planned following refuse collection as much as possible and areas that fall on a holiday will not be swept that week.

This new system is part of the City's effort to comply with State regulations to eliminate trash, oils, grease, brake dust, plant debris and sediment from entering the storm drain system and ultimately polluting the beach and the ocean. Other benefits of the new alternate side sweeping program include:

- Improves water quality and the environment
- Cleaner streets and neighborhoods
- More effective sweeping as cars will not be blocking access to the curbs and gutters
- Increased on-street parking availability on sweeping days in currently signed areas

The program includes updating existing signs, installation of new signs and implementing alternate side sweeping. We propose using existing sign posts and street light poles where possible. New signs will be installed with maximum spacing to reduce the total number of signs needed.

For more information please see:

www.TorranceCa.Gov/PDF/MachadoLakeTrashTM DLProjectCIPI-138ProjectFactSheet.pdf

We thank you for your patience and assistance during this process. You are invited to attend the Council meeting on May 20, 2014, at 7 p.m., to learn more about the program.

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## **OPTIMIZED** STREET **SWEEPING PROGRAM**

SECOND PUBLIC MEETING:

City Council Chamber May 20, 2014

7:00 P.M.

For questions, contact the Public Works Department at (310) 781-6900 or visit our website at www.TorranceCA.Gov/PublicWorks

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